Dufry provides and elegant end of the year for their employees at the Sylvia Residence

The holiday season has arrived and all the parties that accompany it, but for the hundred and twenty-five plus employees of the Dufry shops it was an excepting evening on Saturday, December 2. The Sylvia Residence restaurant was the location for their end-of-year gathering, an annual tradition hosted by Richard and Milly Lacle of the Dufry stores, and some consider it one of the best ever. Everyone was dressed in their holiday best, and all enjoyed an evening of fine dining and wonderful holiday entertainment.

Edjean Semeleer, noted local baritone performed selections from his Christmas CD "Hey, Ta Pasco!" and much more. The beautiful gardens of the restaurant, and the courtyard were also in holiday dress, lending a festive atmosphere to the elegant surroundings and the fabulous meal. Everyone was in a holiday mood, enjoying the excellent food and service, thanks to Marlenda Dirksz of Dufry, who, according to Sales Manager Lily Does, "arranged everything and did a fabulous job."

The Dufry shops are found in the main street and the airport, offering a fine selection of top of the line perfumes and cosmetics and duty free liquors. Many of those smiling faces at Saturday's party are the same ones that make shopping at Dufry such a pleasure for island visitors and locals alike, and Richard and Milly enjoy rewarding their employees for a year of excellent service. Such a beautiful evening gives the staff the opportunity to relax and enjoy their holiday, while enforcing the camaraderie that makes them a team. They all enjoyed the unique ambiance of the Sylvia Residence, a very interesting and delightful dining experience anytime, but particularly for the holidays!